Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 07 Jul 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 08 Jul 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 06 Jul 2023 at 12:04

Confidence: High on Friday, then Medium due to changeable conditions.

Headline for Friday 07 Jul 2023: Damp start, but brightening up with some warm afternoon sunshine. Windy, gales possible over the summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 07 Jul 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Heavy Rain	Drizzle	Mist	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
70%	50%	70%	40%	20%	<05%	00%	00%

Forecast for Friday 07 Jul 2023

Weather: Cloudy overnight and early morning with outbreaks of rain and drizzle, occasionally heavy along with summit gales. Becoming dry later in the morning with skies brightening, warm sunny spells developing in the afternoon. Sunny or clear spells in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 20% overnight and early morning, becoming 90% in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud, base 400 to 600m overnight and early morning, lifting and breaking above the summits by early afternoon. Visibility moderate to very poor at first, becoming very good through the afternoon and evening.

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Forecast for Friday 07 Jul 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	32/45 S	32/45 S	32/45 S	32/46 S	33/49 S	34/50 S	32/46 S	27/38 S	22/31 SE
300	16/30 S	17/31 S	17/31 S	18/33 S	20/36 S	20/36 S	17/32 S	13/24 SE	12/22 SE
Valley	14/28 S	14/28 S	14/29 S	15/30 S	17/34 S	17/34 S	15/30 S	11/24 SE	11/22 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/7	12/7	12/7	12/8	13/8	13/8	13/8	13/8	12/8
300	14/11	13/11	14/11	14/11	15/11	15/11	15/12	14/11	13/11
Valley	14/12	14/12	14/12	15/13	16/13	16/13	16/14	14/13	14/13
<< Freezing Level*	2900m	3000m	3000m	3000m	3000m	2900m	2900m	2700m	2700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Saturday 08 Jul 2023

Weather: Mainly clear overnight then very warm sunny spells. However, heavy and thundery downpours during daylight hours. Any timings uncertain, but a risk of lightning and flash flooding. Turning drier and clearer again during the evening. Windy during the first part of the day, strong, perhaps gale force at times over the summits.

Maximum wind: Southeast 30 to 35mph, gusting 50mph, easing significantly by evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90%, lowering 40% in and around thundery downpours.

Low cloud and visibility: Mainly no significant cloud, but lowering onto the summits in heavy, thundery showers. Visibility good or very good falling poor or very poor in heavy, thundery showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 14 Celsius rising 22 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 10 to 14 Celsius
Freezing level: Well above the summits

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